ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A torque detector that suppresses fluctuation of an output value relative to fluctuation of an input value and that also has the output value accurately follow the input value even when the input value changes suddenly. The torque detector includes a detection element, a converter, and a hysteresis processor. The detection element detects the steering torque applied to a steering shaft when the steering shaft is rotated to generate an analog torque signal corresponding to the steering torque. The converter converts the analog torque signal to a digital torque signal. The hysteresis processor performs hysteresis processing on the digital torque signal to include the value of the digital torque signal in a predetermined range.